

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-8

AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWO REPLACEMENT  
POLICE VEHICLES FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, Section 9.12 of Article IX of the Charter of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio, provides the method under which the City Manager shall make purchases and enter into contracts on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department requests authority to purchase two 2018 Chevrolet Tahoes from Hirlinger Chevrolet, 158 Harrison Brookville Road, West Harrison, Indiana 47060, for an amount not to exceed \$73,506.22; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that Hirlinger Chevrolet be excluded from the formal bid process in that their estimate submitted was below the estimate received from the State of Ohio's Cooperative Purchasing Program; and

WHEREAS, there are no trade-ins involved with this purchase as the Department plans to sell one existing vehicle via Hamilton County's surplus auction site, and one vehicle will be transferred to the Parks and Recreation.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio,

SECTION I.

The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Hirlinger Chevrolet for the purchase of two 2018 Chevrolet Tahoes for an amount not to exceed \$73,506.22, with authorization specifically provided for the auction/disposal of a surplus vehicle. Any requirement to follow formal bidding procedure, if any, is hereby waived.

SECTION II.

The Treasurer is hereby authorized to expend the necessary funds therefor, which funds are hereby appropriated.

SECTION III.

This resolution shall be in full force and take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2018.

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Thomas C. Adamec, Mayor

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Jamie K. Eifert, Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Bryan E. Pacheco, Solicitor